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Case No. 9683/65

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

YAMAMOTO et al.

Serial No: 09/508,496

Examiner: Chencinski, Siegfried E.

Filed: March 8, 2000

Group Art Unit: 3628

For: PUSH-TYPE INFORMATION
TRANSMISSION METHOD AND
TRANSFER DEVICE THEREOF

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (37 CFR § 1.114)

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Applicant requests continued examination under 37 CFR § 1.114.



Applicant is:



a small entity, verified statement is:



attached



already filed

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☒ other than small entity

☒ The fee set forth in § 1.17(e) must be filed along with this request:

☒ Attached is a check for the § 1.17(c) fee.

☐ Charge the § 1.17(e) fee to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.
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☒ A submission must be filed along with this request. The following submission(s) is(are) filed herewith:

☐ An Information Disclosure Statement

☒ An Amendment to the written description, claims, or drawings (Response to Office Action Dated October 3, 2003).

☐ New Arguments and/or New Evidence in Support of Patentability

☐ Other:

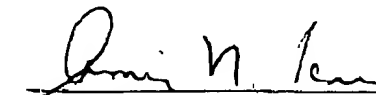
☒ A petition and fee for an extension of the time is enclosed herewith.

☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ to cover the additional claims fee is enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

Dated: February 3, 2004



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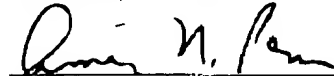
TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

- ☒ Transmitted herewith is Request for Continued Examination (37 CFR §1.114) (in duplicate), Check in the Amount of \$770.00.
- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been established by verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☒ Petition for a one month extension of time, check in the amount of \$110.00.
- ☒ No additional fee is required.
- ☐ The fee has been calculated as shown below:

					Small Entity		Other Than Small Entity	
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Add'l Fee	Rate	Add'l Fee
Total		Minus			x \$9 =		x \$18 =	
Indep.		Minus			x 43 =		x \$86 =	
First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim					+ \$145 =		+ \$290 =	
					Total add'l fee	\$	Total add'l fee	\$

- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 (BRINKS HOFER GILSON & LIONE) in the amount of \$_____. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ to cover the filing fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ I hereby petition under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) for any extension of time required to ensure that this paper is timely filed. Please charge any associated fees which have not otherwise been paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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